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9th World Congress on Genetics Applied to Livestock Production

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Call for Papers

Dear colleagues,

the 9th World Congress on Genetics Applied to Livestock Production (WCGALP) will be held from August 1 to 6, 2010 in Leipzig, Germany. The congresses of the WCGALP series are held every four years. They bring together the global community of animal geneticist and breeders to discuss the major scientific developments in the field and beyond. After successful meetings in Montpellier 2002 and Belo Horizonte 2006, the WCGALP 2010 in Leipzig will gather more than 1000 animal scientists from all over the world. For more details and a continuous update of information, please visit <http://www.wcalp2010.org/>.

The electronic system is now open for the submission of contributed papers. To submit a contribution, you need to do the following.

- Please choose one of the 28 topical sessions that best fits the contents of your presentation.
- You will be asked to indicate whether you prefer to present your contribution orally or as a poster. However, the final decision upon acceptance/rejection and the final type of presentation (lecture or poster) will be made by the chairperson of the respective session after a thorough review. A chairperson may also decide to move your presentation to a different session.
- Each participant can submit only one presentation (lecture or poster) as presenting author. There is one exception to this rule: If you contribute a paper for session 28 (Education and training), you are also permitted to submit one other paper to any of the other sessions. You have to electronically submit an abstract text and a full paper of up to 4 pages in pdf format through the abstract management system <http://wcalp2010.abstract-management.de>.
- You will have the possibility to modify or remove your submission at any point of time until the deadline (end of February 2010). After this, only submissions that are complete and meet the standards with respect to scientific quality, layout and language will be considered for acceptance.

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The timetable is as follows:

- The deadline for the submission of contributed papers is February 28, 2010.
- You will receive feedback upon acceptance/rejection and the final type of presentation (theatre or poster) until May 1, 2010.
- The presenting author needs to be registered for the congress until May 31, 2010, otherwise the contribution will be removed from the program.

We look forward to receiving contributions that reflect the state of research and technology in the highly dynamic field of animal breeding and genetics.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions or comments.

Looking forward to seeing you next year in Leipzig

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